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SUBJECT: FISHERIES DISPUTE

REF: A. STATE 041789

B. QUITO 1344

1. MESSAGE CONTAINED REF A IS MOST HELPFUL AND TIMELY, BUT AT THIS JUNCTURE IT OUGHT IN MY OPINION TO BE DELIVERED TO FONMIN AND NOT PRESIDENT.

2. TODAY (FEBRUARY 25) IS CABINET DAY, WITH THE PRESIDENT PREPARING HIS TRIP TO ALGIERS, AND I AM UNABLE TO REACH PERSON WHO CAN ARRANGE APPOINTMENT. IT IS UNLIKELY THAT APPOINTMENT WOULD BE BEFORE FEBRUARY 27, BY WHICH TIME WE WILL HAVE GOE REACTION TO OUR PROPOSAL AND MOORE AND CLINGAN WILL HAVE LEFT. MORE IMPORTANTLY, GIVEN THE INITIAL REACTION TO OUR PROPOSAL REPORTED REF B, MY GOING DIRECTLY TO PRESIDENT NOW COULD UPSET BUREAUCRATIC SENSITIVITIES HERE SINCE FONOFF IS RESPONSIBLE FOR HANDLING THIS VISIT AND LOS MATTERS GENERALLY.

3. ACCORDINGLY, I REQUEST AUTHORIZATION TO DELIVER YOUR MESSAGE TO SUBSECRETARY VALDEZ FOR FONMIN LUCIO PAREDES AT OUR WORKING SESSION TOMORROW MORNING.

4. MOORE AND CLINGAN CONCUR.

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5. PLEASE ADVISE.

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